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SUBJ: BELGIAN EAGERNESS TO FURNISH CONTINGENT FOR UNEF

1. DURING SC CONSULTATIONS OCT. 27, BELGIAN AMBASSADOR APPROACHED US TO COMPLAIN THAT WHILE BELGIUM WAS OFFERING CONTINGENT FOR UNEF, US WAS SPONSORING NORWAY. WITH SOME HEAT, HE SAID IT WOULD BE TAKEN AMISS IF IT CAME OUT THAT US WAS PICKING AND CHOOSING BETWEEN COUNTRIES OFFERING TROOPS.

2. WE EXPLAINED THAT ANY MENTION OF NORWAY WAS BASED ON FACT THAT NORWAY WAS AT THAT TIME ONLY NATO COUNTRY THAT HAD OFFERED TROOPS.

3. LATER, WE LEARNED FROM DUTCH MISOFF THAT BELGIANS HAD CALMED DOWN. DUTCH HAD EXPLAINED THAT ALL WEO COUNTRIES THAT HAD OFFERED TROOPS COULD NOT EXPECT TO BE REPRESENTED.

4. LATER IN EVENING, BELGIAN DCM WAS VERY RELAXED ABOUT ISSUE.

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